

## House Resolution No. 522

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State young adults who admirably demonstrate their potential as lifelong learners and future societal leaders through the excellence of their achievements as young adults; and

**Whereas**, Zach Kinne has attained considerable distinction as the 2007-2008 National Future Farmers of America (FFA) President and a North Harrison FFA Chapter member from Eagleville, Missouri; and

**Whereas**, Zach Kinne was elected to this prestigious position at the Eightieth Annual National FFA Convention held in Indianapolis, Indiana, on October 27, 2007; and

**Whereas**, the first National FFA President from Missouri since the 1930's, Zach Kinne was selected from a field of forty individuals to hold this national office and will offer personal growth and leadership training to more than 500,000 fellow FFA members, promote agricultural literacy, and set policies for the National FFA organization; and

**Whereas**, Zach Kinne will visit approximately forty states and travel more than 100,000 miles to meet top leaders in business, government, and education, including an international experience tour to Japan; and

**Whereas**, a student at the University of Missouri-Columbia who is majoring in agricultural economics and animal sciences, Zach Kinne is involved in the College of Agriculture Student Development Board, the MU Alumni Association Student Board, the Agricultural Economics Club, the Collegiate Farm Bureau, the College of Agriculture Learning Improvement Committee, and the Missouri Department of Education College Preparatory Task Force; and

**Whereas**, a 2003 graduate of the Missouri Department of Agriculture's Missouri Agribusiness Academy, Zach Kinne has served the FFA in numerous capacities, a few of which include as President, Vice President, and Treasurer of the North Harrison FFA Chapter, as Vice President of the Area 2 FFA Association, and as State President of the Missouri FFA Association:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the impressive accomplishments of Zach Kinne as a member of Future Farmers of America and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued personal, professional, and academic success for many years to come; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Zach Kinne.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Jim Whorton  
District No. 3

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,  
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 522, adopted February 12, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker